

ARLINGTON MEMORIAL BRIDGE

COMMUNICATION

FROM

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

TRANSMITTING

A SUPPLEMENTAL ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARLINGTON MEMORIAL BRIDGE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1926, TOGETHER WITH A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF THE BUDGET.

FEBRUARY 26, 1925.—Read; referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed

THE WHITE HOUSE,
Washington, February 25, 1925.

The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of Congress a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Arlington Memorial Bridge Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, to remain available until expended, for beginning construction of the Arlington Memorial Bridge, \$500,000.

The details of this estimate, the necessity therefor, and the reason for its submission at this time are set forth in the letter of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget transmitted herewith, with whose comments and observations thereon I concur.

Respectfully,

CALVIN COOLIDGE.

BUREAU OF THE BUDGET,
Washington, February 25, 1925.

SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith for your consideration, and upon your approval for transmission to Congress, a supplemental estimate of appropriation for the Arlington Memorial Bridge Com-

mission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, to remain available until expended, \$500,000.

Arlington Memorial Bridge Commission: For commencing the construction of the Arlington Memorial Bridge across the Potomac River at Washington, authorized in an act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of a memorial bridge across the Potomac River from a point near the Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington to an appropriate point in the State of Virginia, and for other purposes," approved Feb. 24, 1925, to be expended in accordance with the provisions and conditions of the said act, and to remain available until expended, fiscal year 1926..... \$500, 000

The act entitled "An act to provide for the construction of a memorial bridge across the Potomac River from a point near the Lincoln Memorial in the city of Washington to an appropriate point in the State of Virginia, and for other purposes," approved February 24, 1925, authorizes and directs the Arlington Memorial Bridge Commission to proceed with the construction of the Arlington Memorial Bridge across the Potomac River at a limit of cost of \$14,750,000. The purpose of this estimate of \$500,000 is to provide for beginning construction on July 1, 1925, and continuing the work throughout the fiscal year 1926.

This estimate is required pursuant to legislation which has been enacted since the transmission of the Budget for the fiscal year 1926, and its approval is recommended.

Very respectfully,

H. M. LORD,
Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

The PRESIDENT.

Supplemental estimate of appropriation required for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, by the Arlington Memorial Bridge Commission

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